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HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKIN CORPORATION.

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Hongkong, September 4, 1870.

LE CEROLE FRANSPORTS. SOCIETE ANONYME D'ABSURANCES MARPEMES, MARSEILLE,

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, ... 15,000,000 Francs. CAPITAL PAID-UP, ..... 8,750,000

Acesses of the above Company are prepared to grant Portous on MARINE RISES to all ports of the World. ARNHOLD: KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, Jahuary 10, 1881 Hongkong, Sept. 25, 1880.

## Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. R. CHAN TSING KI has been ad-

mitted a PARTNER in our Firm from the 6th August, 1888. TAI FUNG SHUN HONG. 71, Bonham Strand West. Hongkong, January 12, 1881.

INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY OF Mr. CHAN HING in our Firm CRASED from the 5th August, 1880. TAI FUNG SHUN HONG, 71, Bonham Strand West.

Hongkong, January 12, 1881. NOTICE.

THE Firms of LINSTEAD & Co. and DAVIS & Co. are this day Amalgamated, and the Undersigned have entered Foothow, HEDGE & Co. Shanghai, into Co-partnership under the Style of LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

> T. G. LINSTEAD. H. W. DAVIS.

Hongkong, January 1, 1881.

NOTICE. MR. NICOLAUS AUGUST SIEBS has this day been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm at Hongkong and in China, and Mr. ALEXANDER WASSERFALL has been authorized to SIGN the Firm per

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1881. ap3

NOTICE.

MR. ALFRED F. O. HRAUSS and Mr. PHILIPP BERNHARD SCHMACKER have this day been admitted PARTNERS in our Firm.

CARLOWITZ & Go. Canton, Hongkong, and

Shanghai, January 1, 1881. NOTICE.

AR. WILLIAM WALKINSHAW has RETIRED from our Firm, and his In-TEREST and RESPONSIBILITY have CEASED. The Rusiness will be carried on as heretofore the remaining Partners, viz :- Messra PHINEAS RYRIE, EDWARD CARRY SMITH, and ARTHUR WELLESLEY WALKINSHAW.

TURNER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1881.

NOTICE. OTICE is hereby given, that the Un-dersigned have this day commenced Business at Hongkong as COAL MER-OHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS. AH YON & Co.,

K59, Praya Central. Dated the 3rd day of January, 1881.

For Sale.

IOHN NOBLE. 8, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. HAS just RECEIVED a Very Fine

SELECTION of GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in the Latest and most Pashionable Designs including many Noverries in DIAMOND BRACELETS, PENDANTS,

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MORDAN'S GOLD and STEVER PEN and PENCIL CASES, comprising the Latest Patented Patterns,

Hongkong, December 11, 1880.

FOR SALE. DRIME GENEVA in Stone Jars : MAR-TEL BRANDY \*\*\* at \$6.50 per Dozen WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS and KUMMEL, GOOD NAVY COCOA (in retail at 20 cents per lb.) SALOON RIPLES and CARTRIDGES, GOOD RE-VOLVERS, RE-LOADING CAPE, SHOT and CAR-TRIDGE CLARES in Sizes, &c., &c., &c. J. F. SCHEFFER, 54, Praya Central.

Hongkong, January 10, 1881,

FOR SALE, ULES MUMM OHAMPAGNE

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880,

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) TTASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can nov be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

TO LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE-No. 31, WRLLINGTON STREET ROOMS in OLUB CHAMBERS, mitable for Offices or Chambers. -The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 46, PERL STREET, below CAME ROAD; possession from 1st February next.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. Hongkong, December 28, 1880.

> TO LET. (WICH EARLY POSSESSION.)

THE Commodious DWELLING HOUSE known as "BELLEVUE," Albany

LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

#### & WALSH Wilson's "Handbook of Hygiene."

For Sale.

TAVE Just RECEIVED The New Tinted IRISH LINEN NOTE PAPER in the following Tints:-Peach, Amethyst, Turquoise, Roche TERRE VERT. Royal Ulster Linen NOTE PAPER and ENVELOPES. Half-Morocco ALBUMS for unmounted

Sweet Caporal CIGARETTES. Ross's "The Manchus or the Reigning Dynasties of China." Edkina's "Chinese Buddhism." Gunthera's "Study of Fishes,"

Church's "Stories from Herodotus."

"Chinshingura, a Japanese Romanco, beautifully illustrated. Henderson's "Life of an Angler.". Iveson's "Horse Power Diagrams." Rice & Besant's " Novels," cheap ed. Orawfurd's "Portugal, Old and New." Wallace's "Island Life," Miss Havergal's "Life Chords," beautiully illustrated.

Hongkong, January 15, 1881.

MANIFOLD WRITERS.

LETTS'S DIARIES, 1881. Reed's "Japan," beautifully illustrated Miss Bird's "Japan," beautifully illust.
McGrath's "Pictures from Ireland." Dalziel's "British Dogs." Trevelyan's "History of Charles James

Ainsley's. "Guide to Marine Board Examinations," new edition, 1880. Handsomely Bound PRESENTATION BOOKS, in Russia, Calf and Morocco Leathers New MENU and NAME CARDS BEZIQUE SETS and SCRAP BOOKS

MEERSCHAUM PIPES, &c. Chambers "Encyclopsedia," new edition 10 Vols Smith's "Manual for Medical Officers o Health. Gamgee's "Physiological Chemistry o Animal Body."

CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES

## To Let.

COAL GODOWNS-TO LET. DURROWS' GODOWNS, Not. 43, 56 D and 564, PRAYA East; with Private WHARP.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 17,-111a and 13. WANCHI ROAD. Apply to

EMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, September 13, 1880,

TIRST FLOOR and GROUND FLOOR I of House No. 4, Praya East (known as the Bruz Houses); Possession on the lat of October,

The HOUSE opposite the WANCHI PIER, Marine Lot No. 20, containing 8 Rooms, otc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on; HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOC Immediate possession.

Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

TO LET. N MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. Apply to

MEYER & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

### Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACA STEAMBOAT COMPANY, TIMILED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE Twenty-Ninth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHARE HOLDERS in the Company will be Held at the Office of the Company, No. 50a. QUEEN'S ROAD, on FRIDAY, the 28th January instant, at 3 o'Clock in the After neon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statemen of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors, P. A. DA COSTA. Secretary.

Hongkong, January 7, 1881. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACA

STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Complant will be CLOSED from the 15th the 28th January instant, inclusive, By Order of the Board of Directors, P. A. DA COSTA,

Hongkong, January 7, 1881.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Comiany will be Held at the Honokong Hore on MONDAY, the 31st Instant, at 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of re- by the Undersigned. ceiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors, LOUIS HAUSUHULD Secretary,

Hongkong, January 8, 1881. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 17th to

the 31st day of January, 1831, both days By Order of the Board of Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD

Secretary. Hongkong, January 8, 1881.

MR. A. HAHN'S DANCERO CLASSES V have been Re-opened on the lat Fletcher's Buildings No. 6, Quent's Road Bloom

Hongkong, October 4, 1880. DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS

Trom nobel's explosives co. Increp, Glasgow, can be had any Quantity on application to THE BORNEO Co., Id., Agenta. - Hongkong, March 8, 1880.

## Intimations.

THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary MEETING of SHARE. HOLDERS will be Held at the Registered Office of the above-named Company, No. 14, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 21st day of January, 1881, at THIRTY MINUTES PART THREE o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of CON-FIRMING the Special Resolutions proposed and passed at the last Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 21st day of December last.

Dated the 7th day of January, 1881. By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES,

COMPANY, LIMITED. OTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary MEETING of SHARE HOLDERS will be Held at the Registered Office of the above-named Company, No. 14, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 21st day of January, 1881, at FORTY-PIVE MINUTES PAST THREE o'Clock-in-the Afternoon, for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution to authorize the Board of Directors to INCREASE the CAPITAL of the said Company by the issue of 2,000 Shares of \$125 each, at not less than Ten per Cent. premium, in accordance with the provisions of Article 7 of the Articles of Association-of the said Company.

Dated the 7th day of January, 1881. By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES.

THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPO

DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NTOTICE is hereby given that, PURSUANT to ARTICLE 86 of the Company's Articles of Association, an Extraordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be Held at the Registered Office of the abovenamed Company, No. 14, Praya Central Victoria, Hungkong, on FRIDAY, un 21st day of January, 1881, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution to amend the Articles of Association by striking out Article No. 15, and substituting in lieu thereof an Article providing for the Sub-Division of the

existing Shares of \$500 each of the said Dated this 8th day of January, 1881. By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES,

Boordary THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

TOTICE is hereby given, that the ORI-GINAL SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 1937 for SHARES numbered 420, 421, and 1232 in the above Company, standing in the name of FRANK CAVE THOMAS, having been LOST, the said Original Scrip Certificate has been CANCELLED and a Duplicate thereof lissued to the Holder of the said Shares. No transaction taking place under authority of the said Original Scrip Cartificate No. 1937 will hereaften be recognized

By Order, J. BRADLEE SMITH, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 7, 1881. HOTEL DE MACAO,

THE above-named Horse having been thoroughly REFURNISHED is now OPEN to the Public. VISITORS to MACAO will find this Establishment replete with every comfort and

convenience, A, BA SIEVA TELLES, Proprietor. Macao, 15th January, 1891.

PARTNER WANTED. VYANTED an Enterprising PARTNER,
VV with a Capital of \$1,500 or \$2,000,
to go into a well-established BUSINESS
which is Still Increasing. Address "M.," Owner of this Paper. Hongkong, January 10, 1881.

THE "PAR BAST." THE ESURE OF 1878 WANTED. Apply at this Operon. Hongkong, October 4, 1880, DENTAL NOTICE.

R. ROGERS has returned, and is now ready to RECEIVE PATIENTS at his Rooms, the First floor of the premises lately occupied by the National Bank of Hongkong, December 7, 1880.

## Intimations.

NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail. (The oldest Overland Paper in China.)

PUBLISHED AT THE, "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MATL. ontaining from 72 to 84 columns of closely printed matter.

HIS. Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily China Mail, is published a month on the morning of the h Mail's departure, and i cord of each fortnight's current history of events in China and Japan. contributed in original reports and collated from the journals published at the various ports in these Countries. - It contains Shipping news from Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete

Commercial Summary. Subscription, 50 cents per Copy (postagepaid 52 cents.) \$12 per annum (postage paid \$12,50.) Orders should be sent to GEO. MURRIT BAIN, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street, not later than noon of the day the English Mail Steamer leaves.

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China Mail.

Terms of Advertising, same as in Daily

NY! Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or A PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point.

## Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Lydia, Captain Pavisen, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby in-formed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless, notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORROW, the 16th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected: Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, January 15, 1881. in22 NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "SUMIDA MARU," FROM

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignsture, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside, Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after Tuesday, the 18th Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense and risk. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

50A. Queen's Road Central Hongkong, January 17, 1881.

MITSU BISHI MAIL S. S. Co.,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills o Lading to the Undersigned for counter signature, and take immediate delivery.
This Cargo has been landed and stored at

their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected Ex Peiho, C.S. (in dia.), No. 3498, one case, from Y C (in dia.), 3497, one , M'lles 3497 one ,, G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, January 11, 1881.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Steamship Capt. Westory, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Instant at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 17, 1881 QUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA BUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Jason,"

Captain B. J. Brown,

will be despatched on or about the 26th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, January 7, 1881, UNION LINE. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship Capt. F. GRANDAN, due have on or about 8th Proximo, will have immediate despatch for the above Post. For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Agents. Hongkong, December 18, 1880.

### Shipping. Steamers.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL (Taking Cargo at Through rates to NEW YORK and HAMBURG.)

The Steamship Captain E. Norman, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 31st Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT-DARWIN & QUEENS, LAND PORTS should sufficient inducement offer.) The Eastern and Australian S Steamer tralian Steamship Co.'s

Hongkong, January 10, 1881.

will be despatched as above on or about the 25th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

## Sailing Vessels

Hongkong, January, 5 1881.

For Freight, apply to

FOR NEW YORK The A 1 British Bark CAMPBELL, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, January 13, 1881. FOR NEW YORK. The A-1 American Ship "State of Maine."

RUSSELL & CO-

SMALL, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, January 10, 1881. FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Ship Mousen, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, January 3, 1881.

BERNARD, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, January 3, 1881.

FOR LONDON.

The 3/3, L.1.1. French Bark

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Bark STEPHENS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, December 21, 1880.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. The 3/3 L. 1 1 German Schooner BREMER, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, December 31, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A-I American Bark " Fred. P. Litchfield." will load here for the above Port, and will have quick de-

Hongkong, December 20, 1880.

For Freight, apply to

## Insurances

THE INTERNATIONAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED OF LIVERPOOL

PHE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies on MARINE address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1880.

COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE, HONGKONG. Position of the Company at the close of the

last financial year, the 30th April, 1880.

CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE

BALANCE UNDIVIDED ...... 70,278.43 DIVIDEND PAID TO SHARE 

OF BUSINESS, 25 % on the amount of their Contributions. THE Company grants Policies on MARINE
RIBES to all parts of the World, pay
able at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are PAYABLE TO ALLE CONTRIBUTORS OF BUSI NESS WHETHER THEY ARE SHARE

HOLDERS OR NOT. B, GOLDSMITH. Acting Secretary Hongkong, August 13, 1880.

Mails.

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain HUBENET, due here on or about the 17th January, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 22nd January, at

Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 21st January. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they

will not be recognized. RATES OF PASSAGE. Cabin Steerage. YOKOHAMA & NAGASAKI, 75-SHANGHAI VIB YOROHAMA, ... 120

Cargo and Passengers for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kebe. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's OFFICES, No. 50A, QUEEN'S

, Ков≱,..... 95

PANSAGES.

ROAD CENTRAL.

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CARIN



Hongkong, January 11, 1881.

STEAM FOR-SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE - GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR. BRINDISI, ANGONA, VENICE,

SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA

N.B .- Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN

GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship KAVENNA, Capt. E. STEWART, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on MONDAY, the 24th

January, at 4 p.m. Cargo will be received on board until 10 a.m. on the day of departure. Parcels and Specie (Gold) the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of departure. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Point de Galle: Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct

FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAE & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment, . Suppers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

A. Molver, Superintendent.

For further Particulars regarding

route via Galle.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

Hongkong, January 13, 1881.

TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. THE S. S. BELGIC will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama. on SATURDAY, 29th January, 1881, at

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. of the 28th January. at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

A REDUCTION of 25 % made on all RETURN PARSAGE ORDERS ISSUED.

Connection being made at Yokohama,

Consular Invoices to accompany Over land, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

CHAS. H. HASWELL, JR. Hongkong, January 13, 1881. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY LANGUED HEAD OFFICE HONGRONG. GENCIES at all the Treaty. Ports, of China and Japan, and at Singapore Saigon and Penang
Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Berecen

granted at the rates of Premium correct at the above mentioned Ports. NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEEL

Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

To-day's Advertisements.

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MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.

TIAVE RECEIVED FOR SALI

Ex recently arrived Mail and

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AMERICAN AND ENGLISH

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Assorted PICKLES.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S

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Crosse & Blackwell's CHOCOLATE

Masson's CHOCOLATES Assorted.

Schweitzer's COCOATINA.

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HERRINGS A LA SARDINE

Yarmouth BLOATERS.

Calf's Foot JELLY.

Essences for Flavoring.

SAUCES-

SPICKS.

Kippered HERRING.

Dried HERR NGS.

Anglo Swiss, COCOA and MILK.

Assorted SWEETS.

GELATINE.

Potted MATS and FISH.

Maille's French MUSTARD.

Liebig's Extractum CARNIS.

Findon HADDOCK.

BARDINES with TOMATOES.

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Assorted PICKLES.

Candled PERL, ALMONDS.

CURBANTS in Bottle and Bulk.

RAISINS in Buttle and Bulk.

Smoked COD-ROES.

Dried SPRATS.

Truffled SAUSAGES.

California CANDIES.

Waffle IRONS.

- The American BROILER.

Lemon SQUEEZERS.

Milk BISCUITS.

Oyster BISCUITS.

Insurances.

TANGTSZE INSURAN

PERMANENT RESERVE.

CUMULATIONS, .8 th

April, 1880:.....

TOTAL CAPITAL and Ac-

ASSOCIATION.

SPECIAL RESERVE FUND ......Tis. 263,268

F. B. FORNES; Esq., Chairman.

THIS HAIR WASH has been prepared by us for the last 20 years. Its sale

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Hongkong, January 19, '1881.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Lord of the Isles, Capt. FELGATE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby . R requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature. and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the GHINA REVIEW Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignées' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. anglations from the Lu-li, or General All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before The Rhymes of the Shi-king. the 29th Instant, or they will not be re-The "Su Shu," or Book of Plain Words.

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Hongkong, January 19, 1881.

SHIPPING.

Jan. 18: Yungching, Chinese steamer, Wallace, Chefoo Jan. 13, Beans.-

Jan, 18, midnight, Yangteze, -Britis steamer, 782, Schultze, Shanghai Jan. 15, General. - Siemssen & Co. Jan. 19, Lord of the Isles, British steamer, 1586, Felgate, London Nov. 28, via ports of call, and Singapore Jan. 10, General.-RUSSELL & Co.

Jan. 19, Cyclops, British steamer, 1403 C. Butler, Shanghai Jan. 11, Foochow, and Swatow 18. General. BUTTERFIELD

Jan. 19, Tunis, British steamer, 886, J. W. Irvine, Saigon Jan. 11, General. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Jan. 19, Lee Yuen, Chinese steamer, from

Jan. 19, Chinking, British steamer, 978, W. Orr. Chinkiang and Woosung Jan. 10, General - SIEMSSEN & Co. Jan. 19, Fokien, British steamer 509, J. C. Abbott, Foochow Jan. 16, Amoy 17, and Swatow 18, Goneral, - Douglas LAPRAIK &

Jan. 19, Garstang, British barque, (Col. 301. E. Yarnall, Newcastle (N.S.W.) Oct. 24, Coal. - ARNHOLD, KARBERO & Co.

DEPARTURES. Jan. 19, Albay, for Amoy, &c. 19. Consolution, for Bangkok, 19, Ping-on, for Hoihow, &c. 19, Yangteze, for Canton. 19, Anadyr, for Marseilles, &c. 19. Yungching, for Canton ... 19, Hedeig, for Taiwanfoo. 19. Mary, for Keelung. 19. Chinking, for Canton.

CLEARED. Cyclops, for Singapore, &c.

Caroline, for Amby. PASSENGERS.

Per Yungching, from Chefoo, Mr Head Per Yangtsze, from Shanghai, Mrs. Hurst and Mrs Hove, and 51 Chinese. Per Lord of the Isles, from London, &c. Messrs Turner and Forguson, and 209 Chi

Per Fokien, from Coast Ports, Messra T. G. Williamson and Marquis, and 91 Chi-

Per Cyclops, from Swatow, &c., 3 Chi-

Per Tunis, from Saigon, 18 Chinese.

'Per Anadyr, for Saigon, Mr J. Inverarity, Sœurs Paul de la Croix, F. de Borges, and Azami Agnis, and twelve Chinese; for Singapore, Mr Sanches del'Aguila and Chinese assistant, and Mr Grey ; for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs no Perera and 2 children, and Mr Guillianne Lavox. - From Shanghai for Singapore, Mr Lyman; for Port Said Mr Rabcooski : for Marseilles, Mr Merriam M. Serruys, Charge d' Affaires for Belgium, Miss Maberley, Mrs Bear, Messrs Romanet, Mechaelis, and Reichert, From Yoko hama for Markeilles, Prince Take Hito; Capt. Koure Ika, Mr G. Reddellen and 3 infants, and Mr I Ikada; for Galle, Mr Kleinwort, and 4 passengers.

Per Albay, for Amoy, Mestra Head and M. C. Nickels. Per Consolation, for Baugkok, 82 Chinese, Per Ping-on, for Hoihow, &c., 10 Chi-

TO DEPART. Per Cyclops, for Singapore, &c., 2 Europeans, and 850 Chinese.

Light monsoon and hazy weather.

Hongkong was marked with fine weather

throughout. In Foochow .. H.M.S. Fox-

hound arrived 14th inst. In Amoy : U. S.

corvette arrived 17th inst., S.S. Harter and Spanish ateamer Empy. In Swatow Co's steamer Hailoong, and S. S. Hungari

an. H. M. S. Magpie was at Sharp Peal

sounding. Passed the Co.'s chartered str

ja20 Thales entering the Min,

SHIPPING BEFORTS. The Chinese steamer Yungching reports

Light winds and hazy weather. The British steamer Yangton reports Left Woosung on 15th at 10 a.m. Arrived in Hongkong on 18th at midnight. Had light and variable winds and calms. Passed H.M.S. Comus off Ouksen Island. The British steamer Lord of the Isles reports: Strong monsoon and heavy sea.

reach this port by the P. & O. steamed Zamberi, on Sunday, the 23rd inst. She brings dates from London to Dec. The next AMERICAN MAIL may be expected here on or about the 25th instant, by

the O. and O. Coy, a Steamship Begic, which brings San Francisco dates to the Plat ult. Parmus Take Hito, Arisha Gama, of Japan,

and Commander Kurooks, of the Japanes Navy, were the guests of H. R. the Goyernor and Lindy Hennessy at a state dinner at Government House, last night, when

guests. The splendid band of the Themis and the first five shocks occurred in a was in attendance, and played several selectioninute, and a half. The new Lighthouse proceeded to Europe, to-day, by the M. M. been in any way injured. steamer Anadyr. They go to England, we understand, for a term of five years, to study Naval tactics.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

For SWATOW, AMOY, AND SHANG

Per Lee-Yven, at 9.30 a.m. To-morrow

Per H.C.M.S. Marques del Duero, at

a.m. To-morrow, the 20th inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.-

Per Lord of the Isles, at 11.30 a.m.,

Per Sumida Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday,

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

Daylight. - Cyclops leaves for London.

Daylight .- Namoa leaves for Coast Ports.

Goods per Lydia undelivered after this

Meetings.

Amusement.

2 p.m.-Meeting of Medical Missionary

Society in China, at Canton.

9 p.m. - Meeting of Victoria Lodge.

9.15 p.m.-Concert at the City Hall.

Miscellaneous.

Claims against the Auguste must be se

in to Messrs Moyer & Co. before Noon

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. International Congress at Venice.

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A Curious Fact about Macao.

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Chinese Mahometans at Mecca.

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Friday, the 21st inst.

For YOKOHAMA via KOBE.—

date subject to rent.

the 21st inst.

For YOKOHAMA. --

Per Namoa, at 11.30 a.m. To-morrow,

the 20th inst., instead of as pre-

MAILS will close:-

the 20th inst.

For MANILA.

THE following are the Officers of the Victoria Preceptory and Encampment for the ensuing year, who were appointed at meeting held on Monday evening last :-

E. Preceptor .- E. Sir Knight L. Mallory. Constable. Sir Knight H. L. Dennys. Marshall.-Sir Knight W. K. Hughes. Chaplain, -Sir Knight W. M. B. Arthur, Treasurer. -Sir Knight W.- M. Desne. Registrar. -Sir Knight D. Sayle. Sub-Marshal. -Sir Knight H. Smith. Director of Ceremonies -Sir Knight

Captain of the Guard,-Sir Knight S. Almoner. - Sir Knight D. Gillies. Eirst Herald .- Sir Knight C. H. Palmer. Second Herald .- Sir Knight J. Christie.

We have received the first number of monthly magazine for Japan and the Far East," entitled "The Chrysanthemum," published at Yokohama by Messrs Kelly and Co., and edited by Dr Faulds, a medical missionary at Tokio. This little monthly. has a pleasant combination of meterial in the its thirty six 8vo. pages which bodes well for its future success. From the unpretentious manner of its inauguration, and the promises of support stated to have been given, no less than from the general charactor and appearance of the magazine, there are great hopes that it will become permanent medium of useful and interesting facts regarding the Japanese people. wish the Chrysanthemum every success.

> SHORTLY after helf-past six glolock this evening the fire bell rang again, and this the harbour. time it turned out that it was not by any means a false slarm. By the time one could IT will be well for those interested to note reach the spot, East Street, it was found the change in the day of departure of the that the whole of the upper division of the Homeward Mail steamers. The next P. & street was one mass of flames, some ten or | O. mail leaving this will close on Monday, twelve houses on either side of the street the 24th instant, at 3 p.m.; but the followburning fiercely and the fire gaining a power- ing French mail does not change its day, ful and fast increasing hold. The various as it leaves on Wednesday, the 2nd Februengines were getting into working ordersbut any. The first French Mail, therefore. all that could be attempted would be to leaving on a Monday is that set down for prevent the fire-from spreading beyond a the 14th February. One advantage, of the certain area; nothing could be done to save 2nd February departure is, that it clears the the houses of which the fire had got hold or Chinese New Year's Day (50th Jamuary). those in their immediate neighbourhood. The departures, for the next two or three. It would be useless to attempt any details months at least, will be as follow:at the present time when the fire has not yet P. & O., Mon. Jan. 24 M. M., Mon. Mer. 14 M. M., Wed. Pab. 2 P. & C., Mon. May, 21 reached its height, but there cannot be any doubt that the conflagration will turn out M. M., Mon. Feb. 14 P. & D. Mon. Apr. one of very considerable dimensions.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY, P.S. Since the above was written the P. & O., Mon. Mer. 7 fire has continued to spread with great rapidity and although there is fortunately THE "Chronicle and Directory for China, no wind it promises to continue gaining for Japan, the Philippines, &c," issued from some time. Quite an ecre of land around the Daily Press office, has now been the cross roads where East Street, Square published. The larger edition, which is Street, and Tai-ping shan Road West, has made up of the Directory proper and an already been cleared of the houses that Appendix in about equal parts, is a most formerly stood there and the fire seems to be complete compilation, all things considered. expanding in all directions from that centre. No one, except he has tried it, can realize DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, NURSERY REQUI-There are three supplies of water directed the difficulty experienced in obtaining and to save the property near by, but as the compiling returns from so many parts scene of the fire is on a high level and the the Eastern world; and without having water has to be pumped from the Braya the made a very searching examination of the effectiveness of these efforts is not great. returns furnished of the various ports, we The scene is one of great confusion from are of opinion that the present issue of the Soda Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water, the thousands of Chinese living in the lo- Chronicle and Directory will maintain its cality who are carrying away their house- previous reputation for the fulness and The Manufactory is under direct and fire may extend cannot in any way be pendix there are evident signs of an

> prisoner was before the Police Magistrate and wounding, and the case was then remanded till the 21st inst. An inquest held this afternoon at the Government Civil p.m. at the Magistracy.

> INTENDING visitors to the neighbouring Colony of Macao will be glad to learn that the that Mr A. da Silva Telles has within the last few days opened the Hotel de Macao: Hitherto many Hongkong realhotel accommodation, but now that the diflishment of a second hostelry, there should pleasant holiday trip to the famous retreat of the immortal Cambens.

note, under date of Swatow, 16th Jan, :--There was an Earthquake yesterday morning a little before 10 at Breaker Point rapid succession in air minutes. The motion

Admiral Duporre and his staff were also of the waves was from E.S.E. to W. N. W., tions during the evening. The Prince and stood this severe test excellently, no part the Japanese Commander above named even of the delicate light apparatus having

ONE of the mest interesting military displays which has been made by the Garrison of the Colony for some time past took place on the Parada Ground this morning between ten and eleven o'clock. This was the ceremony of trooping the Regimental colours of the 27th Inniskillings, for the first time, we believe, for more than twelve months. The troops engaged in the affair numbered shout two hundred and forty rank and file, with their complement of officers, and consisted of four companies of thirty files each, under the immediate command of Major Hales, Colonel Geddes being on the staff, with H. E. General Donnovan, who was attended by his Aidede-camp, Captain Barton. After a few preliminary manosuvres had been executed the four companies were drawn up in line and the Regimental Band marched, first at slow time and a second time at quick march, past the General and saluted the colours playing appropriate airs, and then the actual ceremonial took place, the colours being carried by Sub-Lieutenant Mayne along the line and saluted by the men of the united companies presenting arms as the dag was borne along the ranks, the band meanwhile playing the national anthem. The line afterwards broke into column and marched past, saluting H. E. the General and staff while passing his head-quarters. The spectacle is one of the prettiest displays that can be made by a small number of troops and was witnessed by quite a large gathering of residents, amongst whom were several ladies, and a number of officers both of the Garrison and from the men-of-war now in

P. & O., Mon. Feb. 7 M. M., Mon. Mar. 1 P. & O., Mon. Feb. 21 M. M., Mon. Apr. 11 M. M., Mon. Feb. 38 Montoon changes.

hold property. The extent to which the accuracy of its information. In the Apguessed; it is not yet at its worst, we fear. | endeavour to make this portion of the work as useful as possible to official, professional YESTERDAY morning at about eight o'clock and mercantile residents. The Postal a case of cutting and wounding occurred in | Guide is a good feature, and may stimulate Third Street which has resulted fatally to the dull desire of all interested to master the wounded man. Young Ashing, a coolie | the subjects connected with correspondence. appears to have had a quarrel with a man If the Postmaster General supports residents named Pang Ahi and attacked him with a in the Far East to study this many-sided knife, inflicting a wound on defendant's subject in earnest, however, his official left knee, which caused such severe loss of departmental enthusiasm carries him too blood that the unfortunate victim sunk far. The public will continue to refer to from its effects at about three p.m. at the "the window," and all the Postal Guides Government Civil Hospital, where he was in Christendons will not alter that fact. taken shortly after the occurrence. The As a compilation for reference, the present form of the Guide is admirable. There is yesterday afternoon, on a charge of cutting not, we think, anything special to notice in the illustrative department of the Directory—the maps, &c. being the same as last year ; except perhaps that the house-Hospital before the Deputy Coroner and a flags have been added to. Of the Greats Jury, on the body of the deceased Pang Ports (twenty-one in all) sixteen are marked Ahi, and was adjourned till to-morrow at 2 in red on the Coast Man; Ichang, Wuhij, Taiwan, Keelung, and Pakhoi not being so distinguished. This might be an improvement for next year's issue worth consideration. One other little alteration in the hotel accommodation of the Holy City is form of the Alphabetical List would also more ample. From an advertisement pub prove of advantage. When one has occasion lished in another column it will be seen to look for a certain name under the heading of Almeids, Anderson, Brown, Pereira, Remedios, Rozario, Smith, or Souza, he and we trust that this enterprising caterer has to wade through the entire page will meet with the full reward of his under- of these sumames for the initials : Fere the Christian names alphabetically arrang-The next Harnon Mail may be expected to dente have been deterred from braving the ed, the labour would be much simplified arrive here by the M. M. str. Iraperils of a marine excursion to the ancient. These, however, are minor matters. The These, however, are minor matters. The from which it emanates, and is deserves the

> of Peking was advertised to sail from Ban leaves as sunounced she ought to reach Yokohama about the 25th

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FOR YOKOHAMA. Lord of the Isles." Captain Frigarz, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 21st Inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 19, 1881,

Noon; TO-MORROW, or they will not be MEYER & CO.,

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continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, June 1, 1876. This Day, at 6 p.m., at her residence Caine Road, Hongkong, VIOBNOTA CHRIS-TINA, the beloved Wife of Mr J. A. dot

Remedios. . The funeral will leave the R. C. Cathedral at 5 o'clock p.m. to-morrow Friends are requested to attend. The publication of this issue commenced

The China Mail,

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1881

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL."] Per E, E, A. & C. Telegraph Co.'s Line.

TURKEY AND GREECE WILL FIGHT. LONDON, Jan. 17. The Amhassadors of the Great Powers have learned that hostilities between Turkey and Greece are expected to commence at the end of January

THE RUSSIANS INVESTING GEOR-TEPS. LONDON, Jan. 17. After severe fighting the Russians have completely invested Geok-tepe, the loss of both sides was heavy.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

brings dates from London to the 10th e next Engrish Mail may be expected The British steamer Cyclops reports: The British steamer Chinkidan reports The British steamer Fokien reports Foodhow to Amoy, fresh N.E. winds and overeast. The passage from Amoy to

and picturesque Portuguese Settlement publication, as we have dated on former owing to the prevailing uncertainty as to occasions, is a credit to the establishment figulty has been removed by the re-estable support which its enterprising compilers. are almost certain to obtain from the public be no further impediment in the way of a here and elsewhere. THE Pacific Mail Company's Steamer City A correspondent sends us the following Francisco on the 4th inst. If the vessel

morning a little beigre IU at Breaker I dint. Accompany to Reuter's telegram of socialist and seven shocks followed one another in the misguided Boers have invaded Name and any time various was individual table

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No. 5467 - JANUARY 19, 1881.

REGARDING Geo. Eliot whose death is recorded in one of the Indian Telegrams which we give claswhere, the following extract is from Men of the Time:

Evans, Marian, a popular English novelist, well known under the pseudonymof "George Eliots" She is the daughter of a poor clergy. man, but iri early life was adopted by a wealthy clurgyman, who gave her a first which happened while she was still very him away, but could not find one, so went tutor and friend, and under his skilful and took him to the Hospital. training her mind was developed rapidly . Ng Afat, P. C. 189, deposed. Yesterday and broadly. She applied herself to the morning, at about 8.30 o'clock, I was on languages, mastering German, French, and duty in the Caine Road near No. 9 Station. Italian, became an accomplished musician, and familiarized herself not only with the fine arts, but also with metaphysics and ["arrest that man he has stabled some one, Strauss's "Life of Jesus" (1846) from the queue. Prisoner asked me what I arrested fourth German edition, and soon afterwards | him for, and I told him, when he said, Review. Here by her intimacy with Mr before you arrest me." I told him that John Stuart Mill and others, she became the second witness charged him with stabconfirmed in their peculiar religious and bing a man, and he then said "Yes, I had Feuerbach's "Essence of Christianity" only stabbed him once, he is not dead yet the Floss," 1860; "Silas Marner, the Hospital, where the prisoner was brought 1863; "Felix Holt, the Radical," 1866; by the wounded man. Deceased was howmarch, a study of provincial life," 4 vols., Central Station. 1871-72: "The Legend of Jubal and other

THE British (Col.) vessel Garstany, arrived . th-day from New South Wules, reports as

Left Newcastle, N. S. W. on 24th October, had light winds till passing between Santa Cruz and Solomon Islands and orossed Equator 158.30 R. on 26th November; thence light wind and variable. Here a heavy head set was encountered, making olean breaches, ship labouring heavily. From then till 10.50 N. long, 136.40 E. had good breeze; then fell in with terrific hurricane lasting 6 days, blowing lower topsails clean away, foretopmust stay-sail mizzen staysail, spanker, &c. Sprang the lower foretopsail yard, foretop, gallant mast, mainton must and smushing spanker gaff. one sea parried away bulwarks starboard and port and carried everything movable off the poop. The ship made no water The ship was here to at its height with tarpaulin only in missen rigging. The decks were flooded so as we could not get at the water tank and had to use the sails. Had more calms and variable and the high see left causing the ship to labour heavily, this lasted till Jan. 4. Moderate winds were experienced till passing through the Bashee Channel on 15th inst. Passed Pedro Blanco at 8 p.m. on 18th inst. with fine breeze, and arriving here to-day 18th The vessel is consigned to Arnhold, Karberg & Co. The barque Rrospedier was loaded at Newcastle when the Garstang left.

#### FATAL CASE OF STABBING. INQUEST THIS AFTERNOON.

An Inquest was held at the Governmen Civil Hospital this afternoon (19th) at hali past three glolpek, before the Deputy Coroner, G. S. Northcote, Esq., and a Jury consisting of Messrs C. T. H. Kuhlmann, A. McConachie, and J. A. Blogg, upon the

about 35 years. Evidence was given to the following of feet by Dr. Marques, Assistant Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital. Deceased was brought to the Hospital on the morning of the 18th instant, he was very excited and unable to walk, and was bleeding from a wound above the kneejoint, and could not speak distinctly. De ceased was afterward attended by Doctor Wharry and witness. He got weaker and weaker and expired at three goldock. On examination witness found a wound on the. external surface of the left knee-joint about an inch broad and two inches deep, an ar tery being out through, and an accumula tion of blood on the external surface of the knee-joint. Death was evidently caused by the large quantity of blood lost before he was admitted into the Hospital. wound might have been made by the knife produced. - Deceased appeared to be a healthy man and no other marks were found upon his body. He was too weak to say how he received the wound. In reply to a question from Inspector Thomson witness stated that deceased was attended by a doctor a few minutes after he was brought to the hospital, but he appeared to lave lost a great deal of blood on the spot.

when he was wounded.

Sze Alik, a mat packer, of No. 60 Market Time, 651s. about 7.30 a.m. I went to a chandler's Idyl 1st, Pretension 2nd, Kingston 3rd, downstairs and was put into a chair and shop to make a purchase, and while stand- Time, 1m. 387s. ing outside the shop, L saw the prisoner Compradores Cup, 3 starters, 2 miles near here, and then to the hospital where with a knife in his hand, running after Zip 1st, Gambit 2nd, Daylight 3rd. Time, I have been under treatment since. Before deceased. Imnediately after deceased 4m. 4145. and the prisoner ran up to him and stabbed him in the leg, and then ran Palmer 1st, Wild Zulu 2nd, Sombrero 3rd. am a little better now. I never struck or way. Deceased walked one or two steps Time, 654s. and then fell down. Two men from the Kwang Ting Stakes, 4 starters, 2 mile. chandlers shop ran after the prisoner, but Wild Echo 1st, Roslin 2nd, Illo 3rd. Times, failed to catch him; I also pursued him as 1m. 39s. far as the corner of High Street where I | Way Foong Oup, 3 starters, 1 mile, Wild lost sight of him. After a short time I saw Idyl 1st, Pretension 2nd, Brown Sherry in the house where the assault was comcastward, and finally he came down to the pack of the Civil Hospital, I followed him as Wild Hake 1st, Daylight 2nd, Gameit 3rd.

Tar as No. 4 Station where I saw a con
Stable, I informed the constable that the prisoner had killed a man and he arrested him. On being arrested, prisoner said Yes, he (mening deceased) and several Boer Lat, Gambit 2nd others heat me last night, I told the neigh- Feima Cup, 8 starters, 2 miles. Daybours, and intended to stab him. Pri- light lat, Kastin 2nd, Grimbart 3rd. Time. soner was taken to the Central Police Sta- 4m. 48s. tion, where he admitted having stabled the deceased: I want with Sargaant Campbell and we afterwards found the knife produced inside the prisoner's house in High Street, concealed under some rubbish. The Major Bagatock), 2 starters, 1 mile, 126.

The Central Station: I have no knowledge Club, Cup, 3 starters, 1 mile, 1110 ist, home he found the man lying insensible of either prisoner or deceased, but repog. Wild Boer 2nd, Kingston 3rd. Time, 624s. in the room of a Japanese friend who lived pise the body as that of the man who was Foochow Stakes, 5 starters, 11 mile next to him in the same house. The defenstabled and the prisoner as the man who Daylight 1st, Roslin 2nd, Gambit 3rd dant was drunk, but knew what he was hair and do some light work and I will pay

Colonists but with Her Majesty the Koong Atak :- I am an accountant em-Queen, for Natal is a Crown Colony with played in the Wing Hop Loong Chandlers the Transvaal attached to it as a Depen- shop; in Third Street yesterday at about distance. Ille 1st, Gambit 2nd, Creedmoor dency. The Governor is Sir George 7 o'clock I was in my shop when I heard 3rd. Time, 1sn-26s. being an able and experienced soldier. He the street and saw deceased lying just in 1st, Daylight 2nd, Wild Echo 3rd. Time, the Afghan war more by his advice than by saw him; it was the prisoner. I sent two I

and should, therefore be in a position to. Shortly after deceased was taken away in an Zip 1st, Roslin 2nd, Daylight 3rd. deal effectively with the Boers. -Straits ambulance. I heard deceased call out 2m. 504s. "Young Shing has stabbed me" when I first went out of the shop and saw him. I do not know either the prisoner or decessed Creedmoor 3rd. but I have seen them before, they have both been to my shop to buy rice. Kalla Singh; P.C. 532, gave evidence translated by Sheik Hassen, P.C. 531, to

the effect that vesterday morning, at about eight o'cleck when on duty in High Street, he saw a crowd collected in the corner of Third and Central Streets and going up to the spot, found deceased lying on the ground, insensible, and bleeding from a wound in class education. When she left school, his leg. Witness looked for a chair to take young. Mr Herbert Spencer became her to the No. 9 Station and got an ambulance

I saw the prisoner pass me and the second witness following him, and calling out to While in this stage she translated so I went up to him and seized him by the became one of the staff of the Westminster "you had better be sure of the person views. - Hor translation of a fight with him, but ten men beat me, I appeared in 1853. Subjoined is a list of | if he is dead, my life is forfeited, if he is her subsequent works :- "Scenes of Clerical not dead. I'll go to gaol. I have nothing Life." 2 vols, 1858, published originally in more to say, I am a steady and brave Blackwood's Magatine; "Adam Bedo," her man." I then took the prisoner to the most popular novel, 1859; "The Mill on Central Station and afterwards to the Weaver of Raveloo," 1861; "Romola," forward with three others to be identified

"The Spanish Gypsy," a poem, 2nd edit, ever too weak to be able to recognise the 1888: "Agatha," a poem, 1869; "Middle- prisoner, who was then taken back to the In answer to a question from prisoner, Poems," 1874; "Daniel Deronda," 4 vols., the witness was sure that prisoner said he had stabbed the deceased.

> as to being in the charge room at the Central Station when the prisoner was brought, in and had heard him say he had" stabbed the man. The enquiry was here adjourned till tomorrow, at 2 p.m. at the Magistracy.

Pang Aloi, P. Sergt 199, gave evidence

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. A meeting was held this evening in

Gymnasium of the members of the above Club The Chairman of the Committee (Mr Jackson) presided and there were about a

hundred members present. The Chairman having stated the purpose f the meeting observed that there appeared would have to adont the site of the old bath the Committee had available for the erection imprisoned for one month. of a new bath house was \$2,900. The last

bath house cost \$2,500. Mr Hynes proposed and Mr Gourdin seconded a proposition that the Committee endeavour to have the new bath house erected on the 18th inst. The case was remanded on the other side of the Pier. The Secretary (Mr. Blennerhassett) said owner of the dog. the water was 6 inches deeper on the other

side of the Pier the same distance out. Mr Fisher proposed and Mr Blades seconded an amendment that the new bath house be built on the same position as beore, only further out. Mr Fisher mentioned that if the bath house were some ten or twenty feet further out it would be a great sentenced to three months' imprisonment body of Pang a Hi; a Chinese male, aged

The motion and amendment were fully discussed, much information elicited and ome valuable suggestions made for the ruidance of the Committee in their future

The amendment was carried by an overwhelming majority, only five or six hands being held up against it. Suggestions were made that iron pillars hould be used in place of wooden and that the Bath house be turned round to run out from the shore instead of purallel with it. These matters were all finally left to the

ommittee. On the motion of Mr J. J. Francis seconded by Mr Woodin, the Committee were empowered to call for tenders, and to proceed with the construction of the

Bath-house at a cost not to exceed \$3,500. accordance with the suggestions made at There was no other business before the

FOOCHOW RACES.

Results.

FIRST DAY, Jan. 12, Haikwan Cup, 3 starters, & mile. Echo 1st. Illo and Creedmoor, dead heat. Maiden Stakes, 4 starters, 4 mile. Wild

Hack Stakes, 3 starters, i mile. Gray fendant in custody at the police station.

Hongkong Cup, 4 starters, 11 mile.

SECOND DAY, Jan. 18, Camp Stakes, 2 starters, 1 mile. Wild Dr Whan-

By the Jury - I am quite sure the pri- Cosmopolitan Cup, S starters, a steeple. Futtare, a man with whom the defendsomer was the man who stabbed deceased. | chase. Wild lay lat.

THIRD DAY, Jan. 14. Ledger Cup, 5 starters, once round and a lit.

Grand National Stakes, 3 starters. ple-chase. Wild Idul 1st. Grimbart 2nd

Champion Stakes, 3 starters, 11 mile

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before His Lordship the Chief Justice, Sir John Smale. )

Wednesday, January 19.

BURGLARY AND RECEIVING. case No. 8 on the calendar Yung ceiving stolen goods, and a fifth prisoner a woman named Cheong Akwai was also included in the charge of reset. The first charge was that the first four prisoners stole the sum of \$150 in money and various articles of clothing &c., valued at \$160, and the second that they were found in the possession of a blanket &c., part of the goods alleged to have been burglariously

The case occupied the Court yesterday Mr MacKean, prosecuted for the At

torney General. To-day several other witnesses were leard, including some who were called by the first defendant to speak to his good character. The case was not finished until after 3 o'clock.

The jury found the first prisoner guilty on both counts; the second. and fourth prisoners guilty of burglary, and the fifth prisoner (the woman) guilty of

His Lordship reserved sentence. The Court then adjourned till to-morrov morning, when the murder case comes on

Police Intelligence.

the Hon. M. S. Tonnochy, Acting . Polite Magistrate.) Wednesday, January 19.

LARCENY FROM THE HUNG HAM DOCK. Ho Aun, 29, a carpenter, employed at the Hung Ham Docks, was convicted of stealing a piece of copper, worth about twelve cents, the property of the Dock Co. on the 17th inst., and was sentenced to be to consider the advisability of erecting a imprisoned for one month with hard labour.

(Before the Hon, Ng Ohoy, Acting Police Magistrate,)

BREACH OF OPIUM ORDINANCE. Lam Akai, 28 codlie, was charged with being in possession of prepared opium creat the bath house there he presumed they, on the 11th inst, and on other occasions. Defendant was convicted of retailing preouse. He invited discussion. The sum pared opium, and fined \$15, in default to be

> UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF A 'DOG. John Smith, 45, seaman unemployed, was charged with unlawful possession of a dog till the 21st inst, in order to discover the

LARCENY OF A CLOOK. Lau Kun Tae: 58, opium dealer: pleaded zuilty to a charge of entering a dwelling house in the night and stealing a clock value about \$8, the property of Cheung Ashu, a tailor, on the 19th inst., and was with hard labour.

STABBING CASE AMONGST JAPANESE, Ona Makin, a Japanese seaman unamployed, was charged with cutting and wounding the complainant Naka Bonaniras also a Japanese seaman unemployed, on the 7th instant.

The case was before the Magistrate on the 8th, and win on the 17th, when certificates were produced from Dr Wharry to the effect, that the complainant was in hospital and too ill to attend. Una Kichi deposed that he was discharged

more than a month ago from an English brig. He had since then been living with a friend, a countryman of his own, in Bridges Street, No. 16. Ten days ago about 8 o'clock in the evening the de fendant and another man came to the house where witness was they were both drunk, They began fighting. I and others advised them not to fight. Defendant then at tacked me with a knife which he had in his hand. He first out me on the left side of the head; then on the left shoulder; then on the right arm below the elbow; then again on the right above the elbow. All the cuts were very severe but that below the albow on the right arm was the worst. I tried to catch hold of the knife, but I could not Afterwards some persons got hold of the myself shortly afterwards, and I walked taken first to the Central Police Station I was taken to the hospital I saw the deabused the defendant in any way, nor do anything to make him attack me. The other man who was fighting with the defendant was Awaki Kakuchero.

Kong Asui, servant to Mr Oto, residing mitted, was the next witness. He mageneral way correborated the last witness. Awaki Kakusiero sant the delendant struck him, unprovokedly, a slap in the face. He did not see the attack complain,

to the various wounds, the man under his siderable severity. The man would have

seems to be suffering from for.

flogged was about two or three days before the evening. the first defendant was arrested. She was The proceedings to-day were confined to Wires used during the day for telephoning, then flogged by both-the defendants. One the cross-examination by Mr Dennys of the might be used at night to conduct electricity she had not enough to eat.

you best the girl. I have seen, you both me and asked me where I had been to and the nearest reliable resident. beat her. to be some difference of opinion as to whe without a certificate from the opium farmer | Cross Street. Wanchai :- The two -de because if he had he would have money. ther the new bath house should be on the on the lith-inst. Defendant's house, No. fendanti-live next-door, tome. They live I have been married to him aboutsome site as the old one or whether they 25 Jardine's Bazaar, was searched by the together as husband and wile. I know the four years. He has been clerk to should not endeavour to obtain a site on the Police on the 18th inst., and a pan of opium little girl Mok Tai. Yau whom I now see in Afong, the photographer. He got \$7 a. other side of the Pier, off the Pavilion on straining apparatus, some opium dross and Court. She is servant girl to the two month. He left Afong's in January, last to hand to day in Indian papers brought on the Cricket Ground. It was believed that opium were found on the premises. Evid-defendants. I have constantly seen the year. He was out of employment from could they erect the bath house there they ence was also given by one Sin Afuk to the two defendants beating the girl. I have that time to October last. I have no would have purer and deeper water. If effect that he had purchased a small quan- seen the second defendant tie the girl up children. I wanted to get employment in

they failed to get the required permission to tity of prepared opium from the defendant by the hands; and then he and the other October, because I had no money. I did defendant have heaten her. I have seen not speak to my husband about it because them beat her with firewood and with I was in Canton. He had sore eyes at the rattans - I last saw the girl beaten on the time. My mother-in-law was living with 7th of this month. I then saw the first me at the time and I told her of it when defendant beat the girl very severely with I took employment. I have known the a rattan. The girl was then lying on the prisoner about aix months. When I was ground. I know that her leg was broken, in Canton I was quite free. I did not make It was broken by the second-defendant. I any enquiries about my husband at that saw him tie her up by her hands to a time. I knew he was acting as a substitute clothe's rope and beat her over the leg with on board a Hoppo's gunboat. I did not a heavy piece of firewood. After the girl tell him before I went to Singapore; when was besten she fell, when she was and I returned to Hongkong on my way to could not rise up again. I knew her Singapore, I did not go to see my mother-Meg was broken because she cried out very in-law because prisoner told me that if I foud and seemed to be in great pain, and I did so she would not allow me to go to had noticed her out in the street making Singapore. My mistress showed me some purchases before that, but I never saw her documents to prove that take had bought walking after she was so beaten. The girl me from the prisoner. This was at Singanever complained to me of her treatment. I pore. I would not like to be sold even to have also seen the first-defendant burn the an emperor. My husband, did not go with girl with the frilling tongs which washer- me to Canton. I did not go to the Tak men use. I have seen the defendant burn Fong shop in Lun Hing street at Canton. the girl's arms. She has the scars of the The case was further remanded till Tuesburns now. I only saw her burn her once; day, the 25th instant, at 10 am, the that was about a month ago. I have seen prisoner admitted to bail in two sureties the defendant flog the girl with a rattan \$100 each. over the eyen. I have seen the marks of the flogging on her eyelids and eyebrows.

> police on the 7th of this month. That was the last day the girl was flogred. Tam Akam, married woman, wife of Loung Awa :- I live in Cross Street, arrived in the Albay to-day (13th) en route Wanchai I know the two defend to Hongkong. ants. They live just opposite to me. The second defendant is a washerman, and Diamante for Hongkong of Senor Don the first defendant lives with him as his Emilio de Porera, Spanish Vice Consul at ling. wife. She assists in the washing and takes this port, with his family en route to the clothes off from and on to foreign ships. Europe. I know the girl Mok Tai Yat, whom I now We are requested by the Clerk of the see in Court. She is a servant to the tage Course to state that Mr George Brown was defendants. She was bought by the first appointed Judge by the Stewards for the defendant two or three years ago. In No-forthcoming Race Meeting and not Mr H. have defeated a force of British troops at vember last I saw the first defendant beat D. Brown as erropeously printed in the Middleborg, and that the British lost two the girl with firewood, and afterwards I Race Books. heard the girl had been sick and I did not "Driving Cloud" was struck out of the see-herdown in the street my more. But Rajah's Cup at 6.55 p. m. on the 13th saw the two defendants heat the girl instant. several times in the house, I can easily see Rumour says that the "Wilds" cleared into their house. I heard from a doctor everything at Foochow on the first day. that her leg was broken. He said he could Illo ran second in one race. do nothing for her. I do notknow whether prisoner's arm and I fainted. I came to the defendants gave the girl Mok Tai Yau enough to eat or not.

I saw the first defendant strested by the

The case was remanded to the 26th inst. DECOMING A MARRIED WOMAN FROM Wong Ayat, 38, trader, appeared on re-

mand, from the 17th instant, on a charge of decoying Hung Ayat, wife of Wong Yuk Chi, away from the Colony for the purpose of prostitution, on or about the 25th Octo-Mr Dannys appeared for the defence. The complainant Hung Ayat, made a

statement to the following bleet :- I am

a married woman, wife of Wong Xuk Chi, and am 10 years of age. Our day in Octoper last, the prisoner came to my house to see me; at that time my husband was loard. absent at Canton. He told me that he had a relation at Canton who was in want of a had were serious, all of them were of con-siderable severity. The man would have with him to Canton! I think this was either a house outside the city, and there I saw a woman, a man, and child. The prisoner said "Aunt, I have prought this woman to you to become your servant." She said. Very good." I mked the woman if she would ampley me, and she mid "yes." asked her about the work I would have sto

was drunk and remembered nothing about have a word with her, and she did so. I fetlock joints of both the horse's forelegs strom, the residences of four Englishmen it. were completely broken, and the poor were shelled and 100 inhabitants of the The case was remanded till the 20th inst. Shortly, afterwards the prisoner came out animal had to be shot as soon as possible. . town killed. A party of unarmed Boers in from the kitchen and left the house. I. The United States Flagship Hichmond the town murdered Captain Lambert of the MONSTROUS CASE OF ILL-TREATING A GIBL. remained in the house and worked as a strived here on the 7th instant having on 21st Regiment. Li Angan, a widow, was charged with gervant. After twenty days the woman board Rear Admiral Clitz and staff. A Sixth Dragoon guards have been ordered

ill-treating a garl named they Sung, 12 told me that she had received a letter from trip to the Anchorage in order to visit the to proceed to Natal. One company of the years of age. The case has been already her husband at Singspore, asking her to go vessel would amply repay one for his time Royal Engineers are going to Ireland before the Court and has been noted in our there, and she asked me if I would go with and trouble. We visited the Richmond Dr Wharry, Superintendent of the Go-would pay me \$8 or \$10 a month. She and his officers we experienced the greatest CONTINENTAL & MISCELLANEOU vernment Civil Hospital, said :-- A girl offered \$8, and I accepted it. She also of courtesy. The vessel, armament &c. named Mok Tai Yan whom I see now in told me I could come back to China after being shown and explained to us, we Court was admitted into the hospital on the a month or two just as I should please. I enjoyed ourselves greatly: The thanks of treors on Persian frontier have been withth of this month. She was very much wanted to consult the prisoner and asked the community of Foothow are due to drawn. emaciated. I found a compound fracture my mistress to send for him; I understood he Admiral Clitz for his kindness in allowing of the left fibula just above the ancle. She was staying at Canton, He came and I said to the fine band of the Richmond to be bears the marks of having been severely him My mistress offers me \$8 to go to present at the Races. The complete and beaten. There are stripes across the left Singapore with her. She says she will allow excellent repertoire of music this band is temple, on both the fore-arms, on the left me to come back anytime I like." Prisoner known to possess, is too well known up and thigh and leg. Some of the marks appear said :- "That is very good. The place is down the coast of China and Japan to need to have been caused by burns. The skin not very far and you can easily come back." further comments in praise of its excellence. was broken in many places. The right eyes I asked him if he was going too. He said lids were contused and the skin broken. I No but I am going down to Hongkong and attributed the girl's emaciation to starvation will go there with you by the same steamer."

and illtreatment. Lam of opinion the girl's |On Novr. 19th I came down to Hongkong leg might have been fractured a fortnight in a night boat in company with my misbefore I saw it. Some of the marks of tress, her brother and the prisoner; next now flies the Dutch colours under the name flogging were more recent than the morning on arrival here we went to a house of the Samabaroa. fracture, and some of their were across in a lane the name of which I do not know. We observe the Concordia now flies the the Pope, in which His Holiness regrets the the fractured leg. From the position and after taking rice in the house the pri- British instead of the Portuguese colours. deplorable condition of Ireland, and prays Akwai, Wong Ayin, Wong Amo, and Chan in which the girl always keeps the soner left us. I remained in the house Notwithstanding a change of owner and that the British Government may speedily were charged with burglary and re- fractured log and from the position of the with my mistress for three days. On the colours, she still retains her old name. marks of flogging, I can state positively 3rd day, I, my mistress, her brother and We learn through the courtesy of the clergy and people to separate themselves that they have been inflicted since the the prisoner went on board a steamer Colonial Secretary, that a telegram has from the revolutionary leaders. fracture of the leg. The fracture would bound for Singapore. The prisoner did been received here from the Resident of necessarily cause great pain. I believe not go to Singapore but only went on Klang, that a fire occurred last night in there was a rag round the fractured leg, but board to see us off. We arrived there Kwalla Lumpor, in which about 181 houses I did not see any other marks of treatment. seven days later. I lived ashore with my were burnt. One man was killed, and a The girl is in a very low state, but she has mistress in a family house for 7 days, after woman and a child burnt. The origin of improved since she has been in hospital. which I was taken to an adjoining house the fire was accidental. Order was main-She takes her food pretty well. The girl which was a brothel. There I was asked tained. says she is thirteen years of age, and I think to become a prostitute. I refused to do that is about her age. She is not nearly so: I was then taken back to the family details of a Telephonic Exchange as given well enough to leave the hospital. She house, and was locked up in a room-for at a meeting of the Bombay Chamber of Cross-examined by the first defendant: - through a window and I could not leave the refforts are being made to establish such an ing. The fracture of the leg may have been room. Teried and after remaining in the Exchange in Singapore. The advantages caused in various ways, either by a blow or room for about twenty days I asked my of oral communication between Merchants, Chan Achiu: I am wife of Chan Afuk, Chin Chau Man, who was keeper of a from their seats at the desk are so obvious and live in Cross Street, Wanchai. I know brothel, for \$600. I was taken to the that "it is quite unnecessary to dwell upon the two defendants; they live about two brothel and remained there for some days. them. The Telegraph has been blamed for

houses from me, and live on the first floor. I refused to act as a prostitute. On the deing away with the good old times when The two defendants live together as husband 3rd day a man engaged to spend the night excursions were made after the closing of and wife. I know the girl Mok Tai Yau, withme. I was very much annoyed and threw the mail. The telephone can come to the whom I now see in Court. She was with myself down from the upper floor of the rescue. A single wire to Passir Panjang. the two defendants. I do not know whether house into the street. This attracted the Tanjong Katony, Changhie, &c., would she is their adopted daughter or servant, attention of the police, and I was taken to give subscribers instant communication with but sheacts as servant for them. I have the hospital. I told the doctor what had their offices. Extra subscription for such several times seen the two defendants ill- happened to me, and in consequence the lines would be but small say a dollar or treating the girl. Almost every other day people of the brothel and my former mis- two a month, according to number. I have seen them beat her with firewood tress were apprehended and were tried in A second Exchange might be started and rations. The girl used to cry and make the Court at Singapore. The authorities in Tanglin. One wire between the two Exa great noise. I could see clearly from the Singapore provided me with a passage, and changes would place any subscriber of the street into the verandal, and room where I arrived here on the 14th inst. I stayed one in communication with any subscriber but a wing of the 53rd at Barrackpore is they were beating her. I med to see Mok in the Tung Wa Hespital for a few-days, of the other. Shopping would be rendered Tai Yau in the street making purchases, but and then my husband came for me. On almost unnecessary. There is only one she has not been out of the house for more Sunday I reported the matter at the Police | objection ; wives might sometimes bother then a month now. The last time the girl was Station there, and prisoner was arrested in husbands when the latter are doing a nice

flogged first and the other flogged her im- principal witness. In cross-examination for electric lights, which Mr Swan of New mediately afterwards. This was in the she, said: I arrived here on the 14th castle appears to have perfected for domestic morning. I heard the defendants say that instant from Singapore. I remained in the purposes. Pillar telephones in Tanglin the girl had made water in her trousers. Tung Wa Hospital till Sunday, when my district, for communication with police are The girl has never spoken to me and said husband came for me. I gave the name quite practicable; only one wire being she was ill-treated. She never said to me and address of my husband to the Tung necessary for any reasonable number of Wa Hospital people, and they found him pillars, the policeman on the best having a To the second defendant:-I have seen out. When I saw my husband he scolded key and another key being deposited with why I did not tell him before I went away. To Ang Ayung, washeman, living in I don't believe my husband had sold me,

China:

(Gazette, 13th-15th.) The master and crew of the Chington "We note the departure in the steamer tending; they have attacked the town of

FOODBOW. (Herald, Jan. 132) "Glorious weather presented itself yesterday for the first day's racing at the Tartar day for the first day's racing at the Tartar Sir Richard Temple has published a book Camp and business in the European portion "entitled "India in 1880," in which he of Foochow being suspended, the generality favours the retention of Kandahar and exof the community availed themselves of the presses the opinion that had Russia sportunity of witnessing a good day's adhered to the arrangement entered into Camp presented its usually gay appearance was Foreign Minister, the Afghan War upon this feative occasion, whilst the would never have arisen. Sir Richard re-Unuted itself was admitted by all to be in commends that we should remind Russia of perfect condition. The fine band of the her engagements. United States Alan-ol-war Michmond was in

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Singapore,

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not start for Southalia as advised yesterday. little "deal" in gutta, tapicca, or what not.

#### NEWS IN ADVANCE OF THE FRENCH MAIL.

The following telegrams, which we have by the British steamer Lord of the Isles, are later than any which have yet appeared here, and anticipate, we presume, those being brought on by the French mail. It will be noted that the telegrams are of considerable importance and interest :-

LONDON TELEGRAMS.

London, Dec. 22. - A frightful Railway accident occurred at Loods, in which upwards of fifty passengers where killed and wounded. The first battalion sixtieth rifles is going to Ireland instead of the 97th. which regiment has been ordered to proceed to Natal at once.

The County of Limerick has been proclaimed as being in a disturbed condition. December 23 -All the Powers have accepted the proposal made by England for arbitration and final settlement of the Greek frontier question.

The under Secretary Home department has resigned in consequence of ill health. The Times of to-day announces that the Marquis of Ripon has resigned his appointment as Viceroy of India. This announcement has since been con-

tradicted. - Ep. C. M. ] The latest advices from the Cape state that the Colonial force under Colonel Baker has announced the complete defeat of the Pondomese Chief Umhlohlo inflicting a loss of 300 men, whilst the Colonial loss amounted to fourteen killed and wounded in escaping.

The rebellich amongst the Boers is ex-Potchepstrom. Details however are want-The Times strongly advocates the appoint-

ment of Lord Dufferin as successor to the Marquis of Ripon. A telegram from Durban of to-day's date states that it is reported that the leaders

hundred in killed and fifty of soners. The latest news from Ireland states that a cargo of arms has been seized at the mouth of the river Shannon, and that the whole district is excited. Obituary.-George Eliot, authoreas.

December 24. - Later advices from the

Cape state that the attack by the Boers on

forces. The Boers have issued a proclams. tion stating that they deprecate war but are determined to assert their independance. The Earl of Carnaryon has written a letter

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St. Petersburg, Dec. 21 .- The Russian

.Tcheran; Dec. 22.-The Persian Governof Austria in connection with the Kurdish insurrection and has urged the Porte to intern Sheik Obeidullah, surrender the Persian kurds in Turkish territory, and provent further incursions. Athens, Dec. 22.-The President of the Greek Ministry has sent a Circular to the representatives of the Greek Government

abroad instructing them to decline European arbitration if offered. Rome, Dec. 25. Osservatore Romano has published an official communication from

Munich, Dec. 25. - An artificial indigo. equal to Indian, has been discovered here by a scientific man. Geneva, Dec. 26.—The President elect of the Swiss Confederation has committed suicide at Hopfalder in Berne.

New York, Dec. 21 .- A panie exists at Chicago owing to large failures in grain Dec. 22,-The panie at Chicago is subsiding, financial relief having been forthcom-

INDIAN TELEGRAMS. Allahabad, Dec. 23.—The latest news to Government does not suthenticate the

Times' statement of Donald Stewart's iomination. The ringleader of the Southal male contents, Deevas Manji has been arrested and charged with causing people to resist the census. Two companies of native infantry have started for Nya Doomka Dec. 24. Reuter's telegram regarding the Viceroy's resignation is unfounded; the Viceroy is progressing favourably, and will probably leave for Calcutta on January 3rd. Two companies Native Infantry did

wanted for service. . (The Press Commissioner's telegrams.) Calcutta, Dec. 22.-The following telegram from Allahabad was received at Unlcutta at 3 p.m. to-day, Wednesday, The Viceroy is now quite free from fever, and his convalescence may be regarded as completely established. The daily bulleting will therefore be discontinued.

Dec. 24.—A telegram from Kandahar dated December 23rd states all is quiet in Kandahar and the neighbourhood; on 22nd December a parade had been held by all the troops in the garrison, except the Kohkaran brigade. General Hume, addressing the Commanding officers of the Brigade, Regiments and batteries expressed himself much pleased with the appearance of the force. Taj Mahamad Khan Scietani left Kandahar today for Garmsir : Muhamad Aslam Khan, who has been creating some disturbance in the upper valley of the Aighandab, has been compelled by Muhamad

Saidik Khan Governor of Kelut-I-Ghilzai to make his submission. News from Herat dated 3rd December represents the city much unsettled and and preparations being made for a siege. Ayub hearing that Yalantash Khan and the Jamshids were about to join the Trammi (sic) in attacking Herat sent a small body of troops to Khuskh under command of Muhamad Hassan Khan, General Muhamad Jan Khan and the two brothers of Khan Agha; thereupon Yalantaish Khan flet and

amishidis submitted. Dec. 27.2 Sir R. Sandeman reports that the leaders of the refractory section of the Marri tribe have surrendered. The force placed at his disposal to overawe the malcontents consisted of 250 men under Colonel Tanner. News has reached Kandahar of the death

of Khan Agha Jamshidi. It is reported from Peshawar that s detachment of the Amir's troops has serived at Jellalabad, and that the road between Peshawur and Kabul is safe, that large caravans are expected in Peahawur, and that the Amir has received large deputations of Kohistania

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Ohristian Advocate (U.S.) Tribner's Oriental Record contains the to lowing notice of the China Review :- "This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as China, Thepresent publication, judging by the humber now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calculta Review. The great degree of at tention that has been bestowed of late yours upon the investigation of Chinese literatule, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of pub-EWEN, FRICKEL & Co. licity as is now provided extremely desirable ; and contributions of much therest may fairly be looked for from the membess of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinasa scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legget She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literafy grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctualityand detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to Four Coolies, ... find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributious on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its prodo- Four Coolies, - ... cessor in the field, and that the China Reviera may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will form a substantial octavo magazine.

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3. Many Money Orders are supplied to residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order\* is filled up. and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unscaled envelope to the Postmaster at the nearest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours, before the departures of the mails,

4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50. or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived. The commission is as follows :-

Orders on the United Kingdom. Up to £2..... 18 cents. £5...... 36 ., .

" £10 .......... 72 " Local and Intercolonial Orders. Up to \$25 or £5 ..... 25 cents. \$50 or £10 .... 50 5.-Lists of Money Orner Offices in the Yotasi

United Kingdom may be consulted at Hongkong and Shanghai. 6.-Names must be given in full (except when there is more than one Christian 8. Boxholders who desire to send Cirou- name) but the name of the Payee need not

> 7-No order can be paid till the Payee has signed it in the proper place. An order cun be transferred to another office on payment of an additional commission in case of loss of an order, necessity for stopping payment, or the like, application should be made to the nearest Money

Order Office for instructions. 8 - If the order be not presented within six months an additional commission will be charged; if not within twelve months. the money will be forfeited. When the order is once paid no further claim can be entertained.

9. - No order can be paid until the advice relative to it has been received. Made out on a printed form which is supplied

Local Orders on Shanghai are drawn at 2 per cent, pramium in all cenes. A dollar rate for drawing on the United Kingdomis in force at Shaughal.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day

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